

CHRISTOPHER STREET WEST / LOS ANGELES

Tues. Aug. 4, 7:30 P.M. CSW WILL HOST... **FIRST TUESDAY**

AT: Temple Beth Chayim Chadashim
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WHAT'S
FIRST
TUESDAY?

First Tuesday is a Los Angeles tradition in the Lesbian and Gay Community. It is a time when all groups are invited to share the podium to tell the rest about their current activities and up coming events and shared concerns. Each person who signs the register is allowed two minutes to speak (time allowing). The host group runs the event and often makes a special presentation. On August 4, Christopher St. West will acknowledge the 1980 Parade and Festival Award Winners. Be part of the evening. Free admission.

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1980 PARADE & FESTIVAL

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parade or festival... be sure
to send a representative!



GIANT LOS ANGELES CELEBRATION '80 GAY PARADE & FESTIVAL SET FOR JUNE 21-22

For the second year in a row the Los Angeles gay parade and festival will be staged in West Hollywood. Last year's event was the biggest ever and 1980 should prove to be even more successful. The huge Festival grounds at Pacific Design Center will be expanded to accommodate additional activities, and the Parade route has been extended by 3/4 of a mile to begin at Fairfax Ave. and Santa Monica Boulevard.

As in previous years, the 1980 celebrations are being sponsored by Christopher Street West Association of Los Angeles, a voluntary, non-profit organization that works year-round at planning and running the events. No member of CSW receives a salary and the profits of each year's events are shared with the community.

Even bigger Festival in the works

The two day 1980 Festival is set for Saturday, June 21 and Sunday, June 22. It will be livelier than ever. The area reserved for live entertainment will be expanded to provide for larger crowds and the stage will be enlarged to handle the big bands, dance companies and choruses that will be invited to perform.

Filling the Festival grounds will be the traditional community booths for games, educational outreach, arts and crafts, and the sale of food and merchandise.

The theme selected by CSW for the 1980 festivities is "New Horizons for Gay Pride and Unity" which they encourage all organizations and individuals to reflect in their participation this year.

Once again the 1980 Festival will include the big disco under the stars with provisions being investigated for roller disco as well. The disco organizers are also planning to arrange guest appearances by several exciting artists.

Last year's Festival also saw the beginning of street entertainers on the lot, eating fire, juggling, and doing their thing. CSW is encouraging more of the same in 1980.



Odyssey Disco Float... 1979 Winner of the Grand Marshall's Award

Mimes and others will find the perfect setting for passing the hat while sharing their talents with the crowd.

Gay Parade too big for old route

The need to lengthen the parade was evidenced by last year's crowds that were forced to stand 6 and 8 deep along much of the route. In requesting the extension from Cal Trans and the Sheriff's Department the parade committee received letters of support from three prominent partici-

pants of last year's parade, Senator David Roberti, Assemblyman Herschel Rosenthal, and County Supervisor Edmund Edelman.

This year's Gay Pride Parade is set for Sunday, June 22, 1980. The assembly areas will be off Santa Monica Blvd. along Laurel and Hayworth Streets just west of Fairfax. Assembly time is 2 p.m. and Step off is scheduled for 3 p.m. sharp.

Participants coming in from afar

Contingents in last year's parade came in from San Diego, San Francisco, Bakersfield, San Bernadino, points in between and from far off Hawaii.

This year we not only hope to see those units back but are extending our invitation to gays, lesbians and friends from all over the western states. CSW is asking all our brothers and sisters from Alaska to Texas to come to Hollywood and celebrate with us in June as we look into the '80s with "New Horizons for Gay Pride and Unity".

As of this date the Montrose Marching Band of Houston has been committed to come and we invite Gay Los Angeles to open our hearts to give them a big Hollywood welcome when they arrive. ★



THIS IS A
NEWS BULLETIN
FROM THE
CHRISTOPHER
STREET WEST
ASSOCIATION.....

ORGANIZERS
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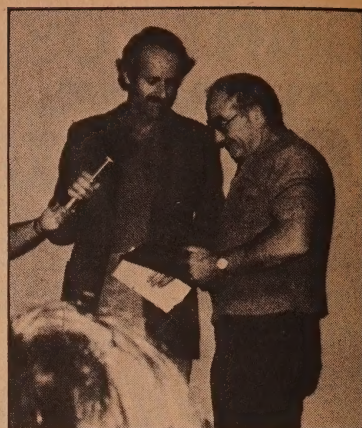
ACTOR MIKE FARRELL GIVEN TOP HONORS AT CSW AWARDS

In an evening where special recognition is given to gay and non-gay men and women for their efforts in behalf of the struggle for civil rights for lesbians and gays, Mike Farrell, star of M*A*S*H, received the Dag Hammarskjold Humanitarian Award which has been presented only on rare occasions. Mr. Farrell took a very active role in the fight against Proposition 6. And in a television debate reduced Senator Briggs' arguments to dribble. The award presentation was made by fellow actor Ed Asner, another strong supporter of the Gay Rights movement.

Two other major awards went to Gayle Wilson, Gay Woman of the Year, and to Leonard Matlovich, Gay Man of the Year, for their significant contributions to the community. Ms. Wilson for funds raising and other efforts in the Prop 6 fight and Mr. Matlovich for his stance with the military establishment and positively portrayed story on national TV.

The exciting Christopher Street West

★ **CALIFORNIANS EVERYWHERE...**
Clog the freeways to Los Angeles for the CSW Gay Pride Celebrations on June 21 and 22... We'll be waiting to give you a Gayla Hollywood welcome!



Actor Mike Farrell receives Dag Hammarskjold Humanitarian Award from Ed Asner at CSW Fete

Awards night were held at the Probe in Hollywood and the evening's attire ranged from tuxedos to jeans with a few Star Wars outfits scattered among the crowd. Featured on the program was comedian Michael Greer who shared the stage with R2D2 who he presented as his lover.

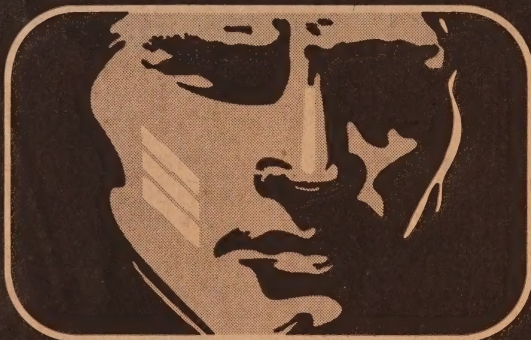
The Harvey Milk Memorial Award to a gay woman or man in the professions, business or government went to lesbian entertainer Holly Near. The George Moscone Memorial Award to a non-gay woman or man went to Rabbi Irwin Herman.

The Howard J. Brown Memorial Award to the community organization making a significant contribution to the movement went to Parents and Friends of Gays of Los Angeles.

Other awards for their participation in the 1979 CSW Festival and Parade were given to Whitman Brooks, the Women's Contingent, the San Francisco Gay Freedom Day Band, Odyssey Disco, Parents & Friends of Gays, Metropolitan Community Church of L.A., the L.A. Gay Freedom Band and Circus Disco.★

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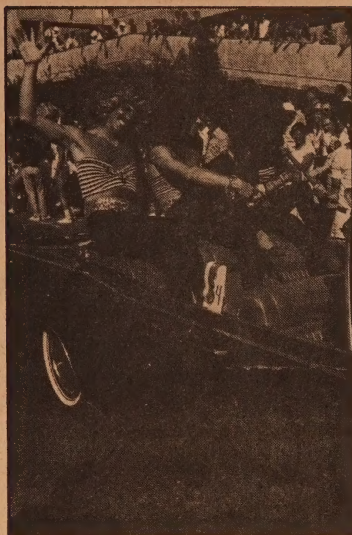
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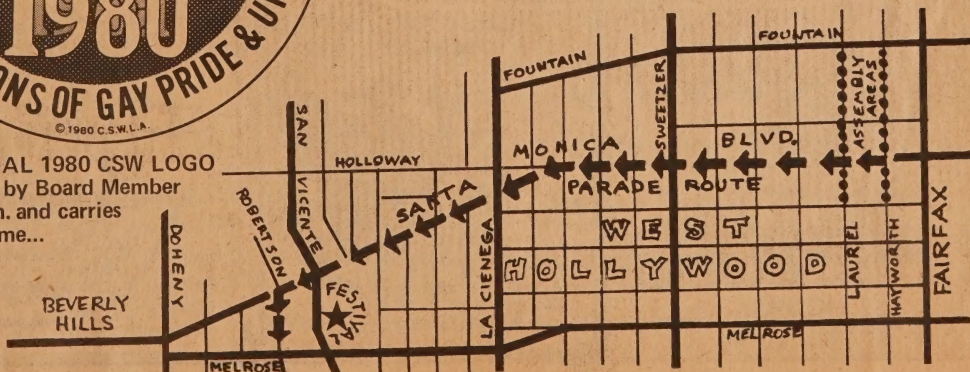




MAPS TO THE CSW FESTIVAL & PARADE



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Get in on it

COMMUNITY WIDE CALENDAR PLANNED FOR GAY PRIDE MONTH

The next edition of this CSW News Bulletin will be distributed in the first week of June. It will include a Calendar of Events for Gay Pride Month 1980. Like this News Bulletin, over 30,000 copies will be distributed all over Southern California with packets sent out to gay and lesbian organizations in all the western states.

Christopher Street West wants to include the activities of every group planning an event in conjunction with the Gay Pride

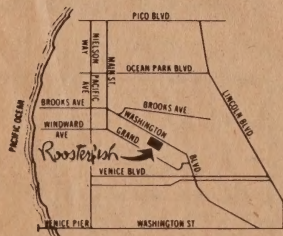
Celebrations so please send us the information as soon as it is available. Concerts and lectures, seminars and dances, art exhibits and picnics, plays and sporting events, hay rides and bike runs, banquets and coronations... you name it, you plan it, and let us help you publicize it through the wide exposure of the 1980 CSW Calendar of Gay Pride Celebrations.

The Calendar will reflect events in areas outside of Los Angeles as well, so PLEASE be sure to inform us of all activities planned even in other cities.

Send your Calendar items to CSW 1980 Calendar, 7985 Santa Monica Boulevard, Suite 109, W. Hollywood, CA 90046.

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THERE'S A SMELL
OF ROSES ON THE

Floats

IN OUR PARADE...

You may need a beagle's nose to detect it, but several of last year's floats in the Gay Parade were flower bedecked winners in former Tournament of Roses Parades. Paper and tinsel replaced the blooms but the spectacular effect was the same. Again this year a number of professional floats are available at extremely reasonable rates. They may be adapted in a custom manner to carry slogans, lettering and theme ideas of the sponsors. The Parade Committee is prepared to assist in locating the right float for each sponsor desiring help.

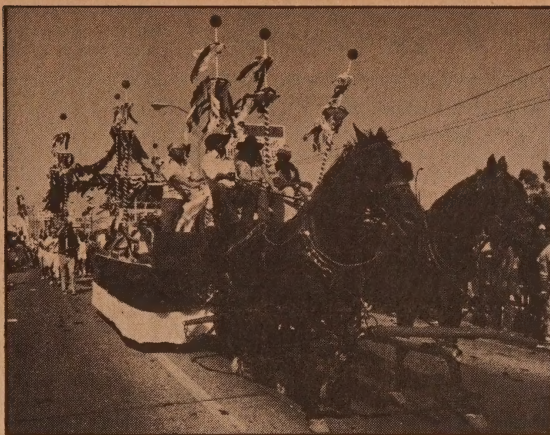
Not everyone will want to take that route of course, and like previous years we can expect to see a wide variety of floats built up on flat bed and open backed trucks or even emerging from horse drawn wagons.

In addition to the floats entered by gay and lesbian organizations, the parade committee is urging regional groups of businesses and others to join together and sponsor a float to represent their local community, such as Long Beach, South Bay, Santa Monica, Pomona or Studio City floats.

The Parade Chairperson Ernie Potvin suggests depicting some area of gay heritage or culture on your float as an expression of the 1980 theme. By putting your pride into a float you may come off an award winner in the 1980 parade.

The committee meets Monday evenings at the Gay Archives, 1654 No. Hudson in Hollywood, or call Ernie at (213) 980-3074 mornings please.★

★NO MATTER HOW FAR YOU
MUST TRAVEL, WE WANT YOU
AT OUR '80 FESTIVAL & PARADE
Start planning now...by Greyhound
or train, hitch hiking or plane, we'd
love to have you with us on June 21
& 22 here in Los Angeles... but start
early if coming by exercise bicycle,
you may not arrive on time.

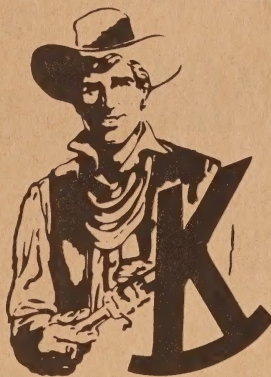


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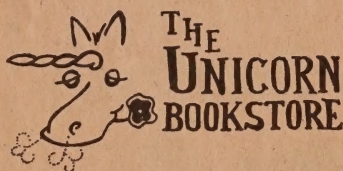
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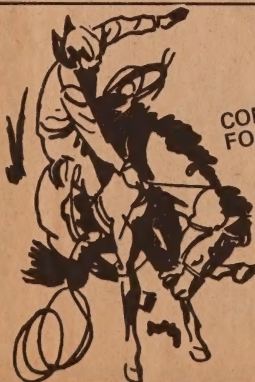
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Parade

PARADE COMMITTEE TO MEET WEEKLY FROM NOW TILL JUNE

CSW Boardmember Ernie Potvin has been reappointed to the position of Parade Chairperson for 1980 following the success of his efforts with last year's big event.

A committee of volunteers is now being formed to assist him with planning the Parade and they will be meeting every

ship, etc. Especially needed are women and men with artistic abilities to assist with several projects requiring these talents.

One of the highlights of last year's parade was the tremendous turnout of lesbian and feminist women preceded by the spirited group "Dykes on Bykes." Also marching were a handful of women musicians who later were to become the nucleus of the S.F. Valley N.O.W. Marching Band. This all women band is also being invited to appear in the 1980 parade. They have grown slowly but steadily during



Monday evening at the Gay Archives at 1654 No. Hudson, just off Hollywood Blvd. Especially needed are people who will be dedicated workers.

This year a concerted outreach will be made to seek wider participation from the minority groups within our community. Both women and men of Asian, Black, Native American and Latin backgrounds are encouraged to join the committee and help with this effort.

Others are needed to promote more participation from the commercial areas of our community through float sponsor-

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their bikes... then join us here in Los
Angeles for a prideful week of gay
celebration.

the past year and are actively looking for new members. If interested call Sue at (213) 762-4061.

Something new in the 1980 parade

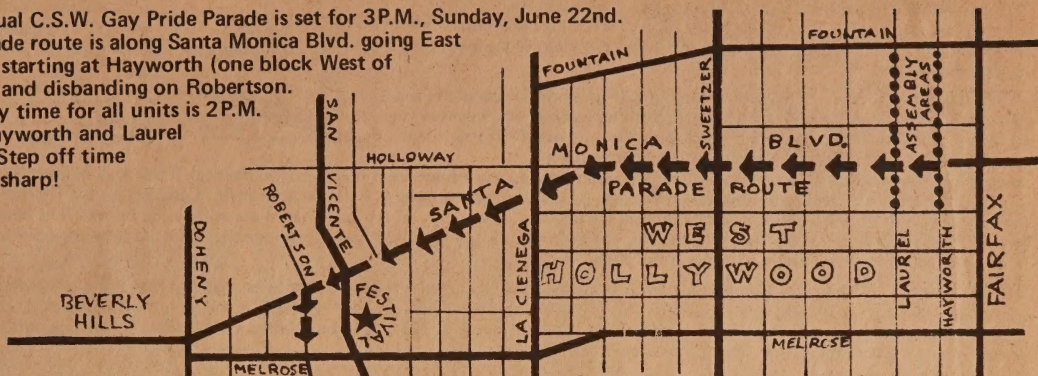
Something new will be added to the familiar images of gay pride parades in America come June 22 in Los Angeles. In addition to the expressions of concern for human rights, always a vital part of our parades, and the prideful expressions of lesbian and gay life styles displayed by our ever increasing number of organizations, this year's parade committee will be encouraging a prideful display of our gay and lesbian history and culture.

The committee is preparing a series of huge portraits of past and present illustrious gay men and women to be carried throughout the length of the parade. In fortifying ourselves with the knowledge of who we are and where we have come from, we prepare ourselves for "New Horizons for Gay Pride and Unity." (the theme of the 1980 CSW celebration.)

All units in the parade are encouraged to reflect this theme in whatever way they choose. For those groups who wish to enter a tableau or float that reflects gay heritage or culture, they may consult the parade committee or Gay Archives for an assist. Stop by a meeting of the parade committee to share your ideas.★

★ALL YOU SALT LAKE LOVELIES
and Provo Pre verts... pile those closet
doors on Temple Square...grab your
brothers and sisters and come march
with us here in Los Angeles on June
22nd. Start planning now.

The annual C.S.W. Gay Pride Parade is set for 3P.M., Sunday, June 22nd. The parade route is along Santa Monica Blvd. going East to West, starting at Hayworth (one block West of Fairfax) and disbanding on Robertson. Assembly time for all units is 2P.M. along Hayworth and Laurel Streets. Step off time is 3P.M. sharp!



In order for the parade to step off promptly at 3P.M. we will require the cooperation of all units. Arrive early to avoid delays of parking, be lined up on time and see that ONE representative from your unit checks in with the Parade Lineup Coordinator on or before 2P.M.

PRIZES & AWARDS — Among our awards this year will be a \$100. cash prize for the most inspiring float, and a \$50. cash prize for the most inspiring vehicle (other than float). Other awards will go to marching and musical units and will be awarded at a special event to be announced at a later date.

(PLEASE submit by June 16... the earlier the better)

SPARKLE! — Let your unit be a cut above the average by planning well and creating a sparkling, prideful appearance. Use the parade theme "New Horizons for Gay Pride and Unity" by calling attention to our heritage and achievements as well as our goals. Add music to your entry and bring to the parade lots of love. Why not carry aloft a portrait of an illustrious lesbian or gay man, or create a float or tableau in their honor, or point to the positive efforts of your own organization in a colorful, exciting way. We invite you to share your ideas with the parade organizing committee, or seek us out for help. Call Ernie at (213) 980-3074

To assure your place in the lineup return this portion to: Christopher Street West, 7985 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 109, West Hollywood, CA 90046 (For float and vehicle entries be sure to enclose the required entry fee check)

NAME OF PARADE UNIT:

Organization, Business or Group _____ Contact Person _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____ Tel _____

City _____ Zip _____ Hours to call: _____

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DESCRIBE YOUR ENTRY as much as possible. This will assist us in organizing the lineup to achieve the most impact for each unit and to minimize such problems as sound overlap for units with live or amplified music, etc. Will your marchers be in uniforms, costumed or street clothes? Carry banners or balloons? On roller skates or horseback? Have you decided how you will be interpreting the theme? Share with us and describe your entry:

This entry received
Date:

'80 C.S.W. FESTIVAL * BOOTH APPLICATIONS

The annual CSW FESTIVAL will be held for two days, Saturday, June 21 and Sunday, June 22 on the huge lot of the Pacific Design Center on San Vicente Blvd. between Santa Monica Blvd. and Melrose Avenue in West Hollywood.

JOYFUL SHARING — This year's Festival will take on a mood of joyful sharing as an outreach is being made to all the creative and talented people in our community to share their creations in our Arts & Crafts area and their talent as street entertainers throughout the lot.

Jugglers, mimes, magicians and musicians, all are encouraged to share their art and enliven the Festival. They may contact Sean Johnson at 876-0126 (9-6) for details on how to participate. Bands and vocal groups will also be appearing in concert on the Festival grounds and the stomping beat of disco dancing will soften the pavement in one corner of the lot. Then there will be the booths. The community booths for sharing information, the game booths, the food booths, and the booths for making sales. And the time to apply for your booth is NOW! Bring your own tables, counters or chairs.

BOOTH FEES: The fee for Community Educational Booths is \$50. where no sales are to be made or revenues generated by games, etc. The fee for Community based Non Profit Organizations is \$125. where the booths are used for making sales, or otherwise generate income... The fee for booths for private businesses is \$200. All community and business booths are under tents. Open air spaces for Arts & Crafts exhibitors are \$75.

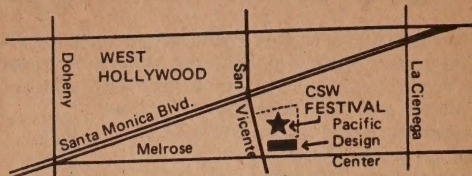
ELECTRICAL NEEDS: — All booth applicants must list their total power requirements (in voltage) and include a list of their electrical equipment and lights. This is necessary to avoid overloading or power failure. All booth operators will be expected to stay within the limits set in the application. Basic lighting furnished for booths in tents. Artisans spaces provided outlets only. A security deposit of \$25. will be charged for each additional cord and plug requested.

VENDORS — There will be a limited number of single item food booths allowed on the lot. Therefore all applicants requesting a booth for the sale of food must list at least one non-food alternative if desiring to use the booth for vending or income purposes. Most specialty items will be allocated to the first applicant requesting those items. Deadline for applications is June 13, 1980.

PERMITS & LICENSES — Christopher Street West has been requested to inform each Festival concessionaire that it is YOUR (the booth operator's) responsibility to deal with and pay the appropriate taxes and fees to the State of California. The State Franchise Board requires a 6% tax on sales of tangible items such as T-shirts, etc.

C.S.W. will obtain a temporary beer and wine license for these concessions ONLY. All other concessions dealing with food items are required to obtain appropriate permits from the L.A. County Health Department by filing Form 307-8 (5-76) "Temporary Event Food and Beverage Stand Fact Sheet."

For further information about booth applications contact Colleen at (213) 838-3807



To reserve your booth return this portion together with a check to: Christopher Street West Association
7985 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 109, West Hollywood, CA 90046

FESTIVAL APPLICATION FOR BOOTH or PAVILION (Must be received by June 13, earlier the better)

NAME OF APPLICANT _____ Contact Person _____
Organization or Business

MAILING ADDRESS _____ Tel. _____

City: _____ Zip _____ Hours to call: _____

ELECTRICAL POWER NEEDS: _____ total voltage EQUIPMENT TO BE USED: _____

WE REQUEST: ☐ AN INFORMATION BOOTH CHECK ENCLOSED FOR: ☐ \$50.

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List here 3 alternatives for food or drink items you wish to sell

(list a non-food alternative above in case a food booth is not available) _____

☐ ARTESAN'S SPACE ON THE LOT.... CHECK ENCLOSED FOR ☐ \$75.

Kindly list the types of materials you will be showing _____

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Date submitted: _____

Date received: _____

Festival

**BOOTHS TO DISPERSE FUN,
FOOD AND LOTS OF PRIDE**

The essence of the annual CSW Festival is to be found among the rows of community booths that fill the lot. Most are operated by lesbian and gay organizations, others by private enterprise.

Some are educational in nature and distribute helpful information or offer a cor-

ner where one can stop and chat. Many sell exotic foods like Arabian pastries, Armenian Sandwiches, or American Hot Dogs. (The big hit last year was found under a teepee where Indian Bread was selling like hot cakes.)

Other booths provide games of diversion and skill from the innocent "ring toss" to the energetic "Belt a Bigot" with a fluffy cream pie.

Since there will be no carnival rides on the lot CSW encourages more groups to con-

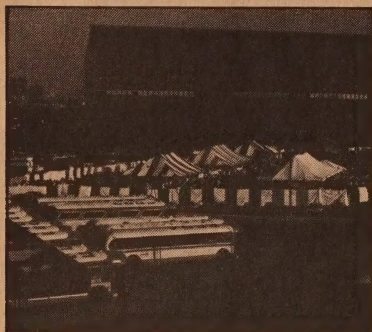
sider sponsoring their own inventive fun and games booth. Consult the committee for suggestions. Notably absent last year were the popular "Dunk a Hunk" drop bath and the "Ring the Bell" with the big sissy sledge hammer thing. (Many of us can get it up to that half way 'Macho Man' mark but have to struggle to reach the top at 'Powerful Dyke' to ring the bell.)

The Los Angeles Gay Band ran the kissing booth last year and they're all puckering up to get back into it again. We expect they will be inviting visiting members from Houston and San Francisco to work out their trumpet lips too.

For everyone the Festival represents a lot of loving fun. Be inventive, make your booth blossom with the spirit of gay love and joy.

There will be a need to limit the number and kinds of food booths as well as avoiding duplicates of some of the other booths as well, so submit your applications early.

The final deadline for a booth is June 13th. Use the application below. For additional information call the Booth Chairperson Colleen at (213) 838-3807. ★



★ **WACO WOMEN & LAREDO MEN** lasso those big city Texans and herd them off to Hollywood. You'll have a helluva time in tinsel town and feel right proud to be gay.

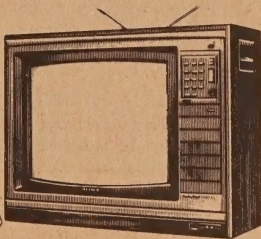
★ **HONOLULU LESBIANS** won't you get on a flight, bring along some Maui men to carry your banner and do it up right... It's only one stop to L.A. and we all want to hula in Hollywood with you.

Gay Supermarket

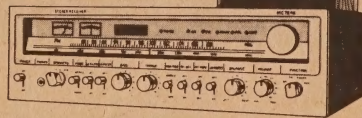
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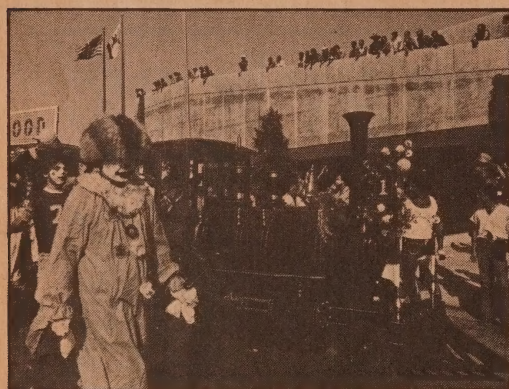
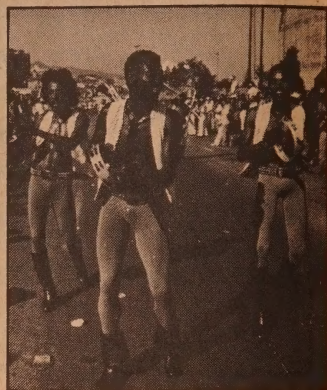
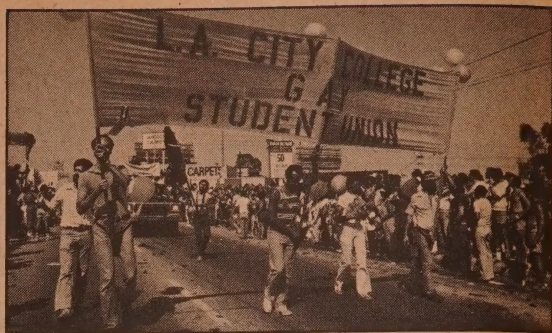
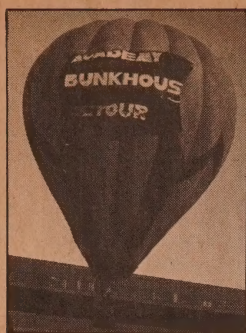
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HIStory & HERitage

OUR GAY MONTH ISSUE TO HONOR ILLUSTRIOUS GAY MEN AND WOMEN IN HISTORY

A major portion on the June issue will be devoted to short biographical notes on the many lesbians and gay men who have figured prominently in history. From early civilizations to the present day movement.

Assisting in this project are the staff at the National Gay Archives under the direction of the Curator, Jim Kepner.



Portraits of many of these people will be carried along the parade route as well. It will be a beautiful way to learn about and appreciate who we are as a people.

A New Resource Guide

Also within the pages of the June issue will be a comprehensive resource guide of all the gay and lesbian/feminist organizations, clubs, institutions, their meeting times, etc. It is important that if you belong to a group that should be listed, be sure we get the correct information. Send it to CSW 7985 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 109, W. Hollywood, 90046. There is no charge for listings of course.

Calendar of Celebrations

Everyone planning an event for Gay Pride Month will want to have that event publicised in the Calendar of our June issue. Be sure to send CSW a notice of your plans. We Are Family.



ALERT FOR ADVERTISERS

The big June issue of the 1980 Parade and Festival Bulletin will contain numerous articles of special interest to everyone participating in the celebrations. It will also afford a marvelous opportunity for our community organizations and businesses to convey their own message by taking out an advertisement.

If you are interested in being a part of the June issue we urge you drop a line to CSW 7985 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 109, West Hollywood, CA 90046.



That's our bronco bustin' softball team ridin' high on our float last year... Watch for us in the big 1980 Parade. Thanks cowboys for makin' our float an award winner!

Rusty Nail

7994 Santa Monica Blvd.

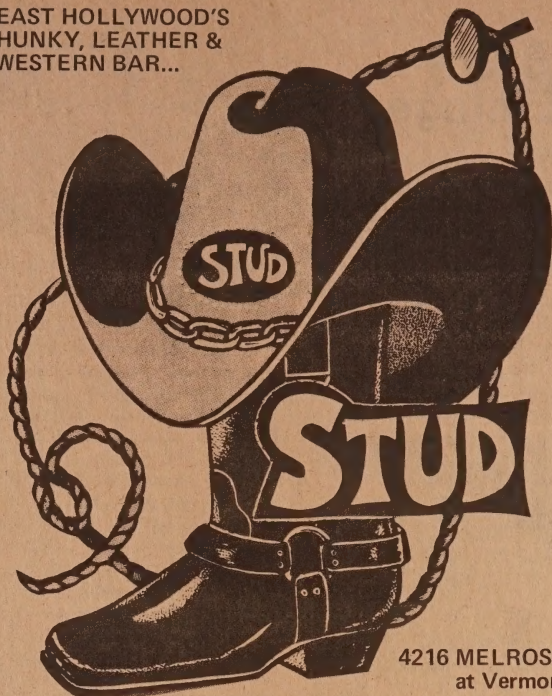


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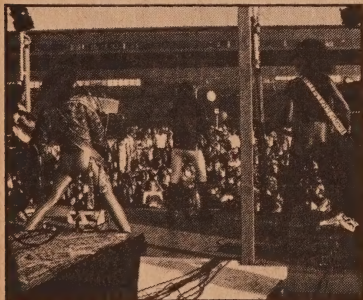


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Concerts

OF MUSIC & DANCE WILL ADD FESTIVAL SPARKLE

The CSW Entertainment Committee will be erecting a huge stage on the Festival lot to provide for appearances of the bands, choruses and dance companies that are



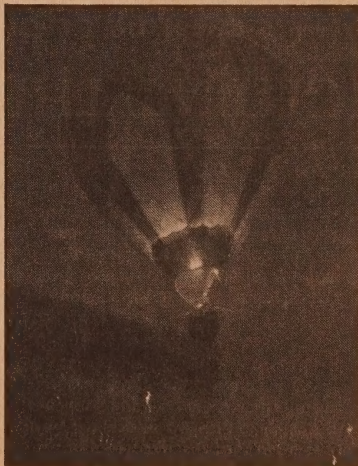
being invited to perform at the 1980 Gay Pride Festival. A schedule of the various groups performing will appear in the June edition of this CSW News Bulletin.

★ **STOW AWAY YOUR ALASKAN LOVER** on a schooner to L.A.... then rub elbows or noses to your heart's delight with all your gay brothers and sisters at our Festival & Parade!

The Committee would like to hear from street entertainers, mimes and the like who can appear around the lot, will entertain the crowds and politely pass their hats.

As for the lot size itself, the perimeters will be expanded to provide considerable more space than the 1979 lot.

Anyone wishing to work on the Entertainment Committee or provide other assistance or ideas should contact Sean Johnson, the Entertainment Chairperson at (213) 876-0126 between the hours of 9 to 6. ★



CSW

ELECTS ITS NEW BOARD FOR THE 1980 CELEBRATIONS

If establishing a history of hard work and dedication within Christopher Street West were to be the sole criteria in being elected President of that prestigious organization, newly elected President Wes Kunej could have been chosen on that fact alone. Together with his partner Dick Griffin they have staffed and the run the CSW beer booth for several years as well as pitched in wherever needed.

Also elected to office were Joy Commander as Vice President, Rick Turner as Treasurer, and Larry Kephart as Secretary.

Other board members appointed to positions of responsibility are Parade and Publicity, Ernie Potvin; Festival setup, Terry Luton; Booth assignment, Colleen Walsh; Security & Monitors, Joy Commander and Carol Katz; Trash & Latrines, Virgil Scott; Beer & Wine, Dick Griffin; Entertainment & Decor, Sean Johnson; Gate & Parking, Rick Turner. ★

★ **ALBUQUERQUE QUEENS AND ADOBE DYKES OF SANTA FE...** catch a Greyhound to Los Angeles and join us in our big Gay Pride Parade... only bring a wide banner so everyone will know you're here... Lesbian and Gay, Proud & Strong!



Artisans

TO SHOW AT THE 1980 GAY PRIDE FESTIVAL

An invitation is extended to all the artists and craftspeople in our community to exhibit their work at the 1980 CSW Festival on June 21 and 22.

Last year many of our brothers and sisters who are artisans did not get the word early enough to participate in the arts and crafts area. We hope that through this CSW News Bulletin enough lesbian and gay craftspeople will be alerted to par-

ticipate in this year's Festival.

The entrance fee of \$75. entitles exhibitors to a ten foot space where they may set up their own displays of original works. To register artisans may use the application blank on the facing page. Artisans must supply their own lighting which can be plugged in to the extensions running to each booth.

The crafts area provide a marvelous opportunity for all of us to see and buy original creations in ceramics, leather, wood, jewelry, paintings, sculpture and various techniques. For more information call Colleen at (213) 838-3807 or Pat at (213) 464-4547. ★

★ **GAY PEOPLE OF NEVADA UNITE**
...gather on the highway outside of town and hitch a ride to L.A... We'd like you to march in our parade and disco the night away... then hitch a ride home with corns on your feet not feeling them at all.

\$ CSW SHARES 1979 PROFITS WITH THE GAY COMMUNITY

The gross income from Festival admissions, beer sales, booth rentals, parking and Parade fees, etc. in 1979 was \$44,160.

The total expenditures for mounting the big event were \$29,277. leaving a profit of just over \$14,800.

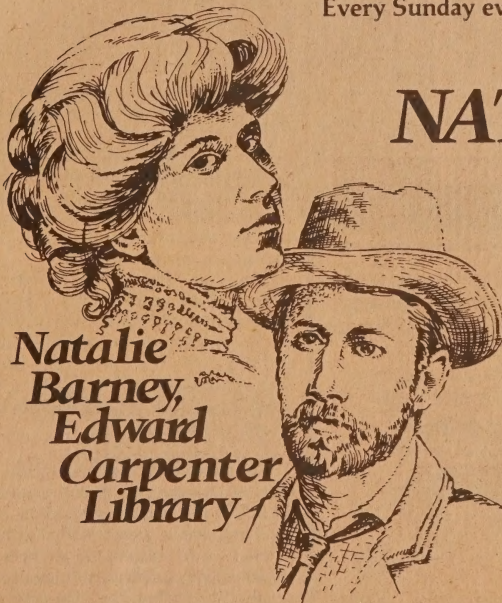
Part of this money was dispersed to the community based on special requests, the remainder has been retained to stage the 1980 celebrations. Among those receiving CSW funds were The Gay Archives, The Gay Community Services Center, Parents and Friends of Gays, the L.A. Gay Freedom Band, The March on Sacramento Committee, California Human Rights Advocates, and a loan was given to the Gay Temple Beth Chayim Chadashim. ★

★ **SAY HEY ARIZONA...** all you Scottsdale sisters and Tempe jocks, Tucson cowboys and desert fox, come to Hollywood's Gay Pride Weekend and by the time you get back to Phoenix you'll be mighty glad you came.

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The Los Angeles demonstration occasioned the birth of the Christopher Street

Such raids were commonplace for decades throughout the country, but this time the worm turned. When the queens were hearded into the street, some struggled and sassed back. Then in the midst of being pushed and shoved someone is reported to have shouted "Gay Power" and the resistance started.

The Gays who had been herded out of the bar turned suddenly and locked the police inside. Interrupted at rifling the cash registers (an old New York practice) the cops found themselves locked in with windows barred — and someone set fire to the curtains! A parking meter was uprooted and reinforcements arriving from the precinct house were met by an angry crowd of Gays and other Villagers who were ready for a New York style street rumble.

Gays were angry but not bloodthirsty. The police inside had their guns drawn and fully expected to be slaughtered. Word travelled fast. Crowds poured into the Village for three days and nights of rallying, of push and shove, of militant speeches and of attempts by the cops to clear the area. Gays had new fire in their blood. Half of us had doubted that we could ever stand up for our own rights. Now it had been done. Many persons whose names would soon become famous as Gay Liberationists came out that weekend.

The Gay Liberation Front was born in New York a few days later, and a few weeks later in the Bay Area. December saw its formation here in Los Angeles.

Although a few small and scattered homophile organizations had existed here since the early 1950's, they were generally cautious and reformist in nature. Stonewall was to change all that.

This year's Festival and Parade are testimony to the promise of Gay Liberation evidenced by the continuing proliferation of new institutions created by Lesbians and Gay men. The Christopher Street West Association invites all of our sisters, brothers, and friends to celebrate our struggle with pride.

The promise of Gay Liberation, whatever the changing styles and slogans of a particular era, is greater freedom, greater diversity, and, a greater contribution to a richer world culture. We are only beginning to define ourselves, to measure our capabilities, to find our sense of community....★

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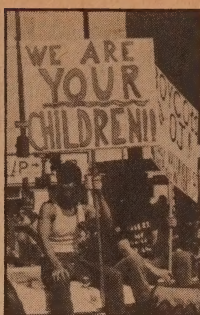
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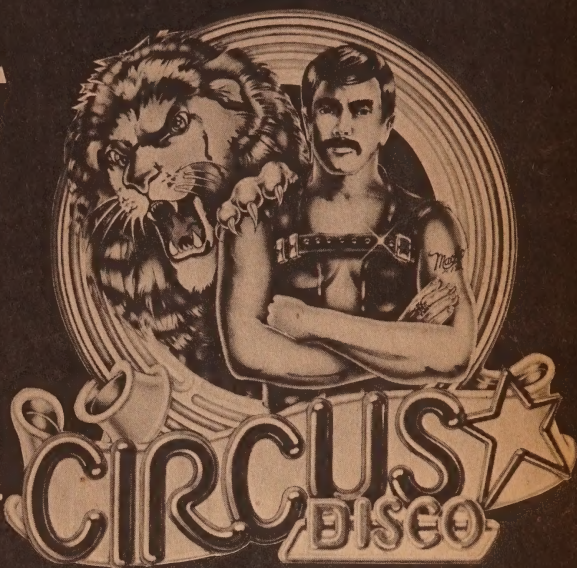
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GAY PRIDE MONTH

June
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This year the big Gay Pride Month celebrations will be spilling over into the many recreational haunts of our community. The 1980 Parade and Festival organizers are encouraging all club owners and bartenders to involve their patrons by decorating their premises, staging special events and joining in as a unit in the biggest gay and lesbian celebration Los Angeles has ever seen.

★ Decorate wild and gay!

Let the creative spirit of gayness go wild. Convert the look of your establishment with a festive new decor, brighter and more exciting than any other holiday. This celebration is OURS. Special awards for club decors will be given out at the big Festival on June 21. To participate simply fill out the coupon below.

★ Throw a great gay party!

There's no better reason for staging a big bash for your patrons than Gay Pride Month 1980! Capture the spirit with your imagination. A dance, a buffet, special contests or entertainment. Let us know about it so we can help you publicize it. Build on the spirit of unity in our community then bring the spirit of your club and your patrons into the big Gay Parade on June 22.

★ Form your own parade unit!

Many of your patrons have never marched in a Gay Pride Parade and would enjoy participating in a contingent from their favorite club. They want to march with friends. You can make that possible. Prepare a banner, hand out T-shirts with your logo on it, provide a sea of balloons, be original, build a float if you can, or sponsor a joint float with other establishments... whatever you do, your customers will be glad you did. To enter a unit in the Parade fill out the form below.



IF YOUR ANSWER IS **YES** TO THE SUGGESTIONS ABOVE, RETURN THIS COUPON TO:
Christopher Street West, 7985 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 109, W. Hollywood CA 90046

YES we plan to participate in the 1980 Gay Pride Celebrations in the following ways:

- ☐ By Decorating our premises.
☐ By staging a Gay Pride Party.
☐ By entering a Parade Unit.

Name of Place _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Contact Person _____ Tel. _____ Hrs. to call _____

With ☐ marchers ☐ vehicle ☐ float.

ABOUT YOUR PARTY: Details do not have to be entered here but as soon as you are able we would like to know about the event you are planning. Date, Time, Character, etc. Keep June 21 and 22 free for the big Festival and Parade.

DESCRIBE YOUR PARADE UNIT: There is no fee for marchers, however there is a \$25 entry fee for floats and a \$15 entry fee for other vehicles which must be paid in advance; Will your marchers be in costume or street clothes? Carry placards or balloons? On roller skates or horseback? Describe your entry here: _____

Deadline May 9

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Make checks payable to C.S.W. (Christopher Street West) and mail to C.S.W. 7985 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 109, W. Hollywood, CA 90046.
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